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are positively prohibited from sending alone. To withhold this boon from them political puffs to this paper as news mat- just now is to scotch them forever. To but not political puffs.

The Brownwood road and the refrigerator will begin about the same time. They are both good things to have.

SCHOPENHAUER says life is a burden, a calamity, and that "no man should address his neighbor as Sir, but as My fellow-sufferer?"

FORT WORTH never let a railroad go when it was offered. The Brownwood road will receive the encouragement it needs, and it will be built.

to go to Mexico, that people will be tion of party policy, even where that brought to terms without delay. The objection that this is a violation of the procedure of civilized warfare is perfectly Mr. Cleveland is a far abler man than he

A CHOLERA fright at Wisconsin was not looked for at this time of the year, but that is the report we hear from there. It is very probable, though, that an investigation will show that the cholera cases were not cholers at all, but something

is actual products or does it deal only in The president only asks, is it best for the would do them more good than the fetures? What is the difference between country? and if so, he does it, whether it of the board as well as other contributors a future in grain or a future in billiards wins applause or not. or base ball? These are now the problems of some causists. Let someone come

A NEVADA paper advertises for bids for the United States senatorship, no proposal to be entertained unless accompanied by a certified check for \$100,000, as a guarantee of good faith, to be returned in case the bid is rejected. Such jesting with a very serious matter might better have been left to the journalists of some other state.

Wainwright, recently became an inmate mediately responded to his vetoes by susof an English almshouse. Although taining them; and where they had voted from this day until the first Monday for the pensions, or neglected to vote at in September, 1885, to the work of solicwell-preserved, and she delights in reetting her recollections of the Bronte sustained the president. family, being convinced that if any of its members had been alive she would not have become a pauper.

casional short stories and monographs, to that of Calboun or Van Buren, but he of such scholars as may attend the same, are not in straighened financial circum- was a leader because he was not afraid to and to continue such school for a term stances and in pressing need of means to go ahead and lead, no matter whether not exceeding ten months from that date. stances and in pressing need of means to go ahead and lead, no matter whether as may be determined by said board of keep soul and body together, they might danger threatened or not. We have directors. In consideration of the above find it advantageous to their reputations, needed that kind of man for a long time, and the further consideration that the in the long run, to permit their pens to and he seems to have been found at last. travel a slower pace.

THERE is a section of the revised statutes which provides for a deduction from the salary of every senator, representative and delegate for each day during which he has been absent, unless he assigns for the reason of such absence the sickness of himself or of some member of his family. Yet congressmen think nothing of making flying trips to look after their political or private interests. Senathe salary of every senator, representator Jones of Florida, unless he has been to the prevailing spirit. Politicians are suffering from protracted illness, will quick to catch the drift of popular sentidraw very little pay for this session.

Hunt to say in the Independent: "If, in dition to other things, thataddition to this numerical supremacy, it of popular rights, such a picture of the his administration, and, inferentially, plenty of game and a good time. ever widening prevalence of the language civil-service reform. is full of hope to the race."

EDUCATION IN MEXICO.

Prof. Thomas Cushing of Boston finds, gold as a medium of exchange. after as careful inquiry as he could make education in Mexico is in a hopeful con- eral ald. dition. Compulsory education prevails old convents or church buildings, the ed-redress. ucation is not ecclesiastic. In some of

FIGHTING POLYGAMY.

If the popular onset against polygamy keep fierce for a year longer, the great problem will solve itself. What philosophers deemed to be so well-intrenched that nought save an army could dislodge it, proves to be weak within itself. Only the criminal portion of the Mormon faith are of a mind to continue the bigamous article of their creed. These lawbreakers are declared by the priests themselves to be scarcely a fiftieth part of the sect of Latter-Day Saints. Fortynine out of fifty communicants have not broken the marriage laws of the nation, and do not intend to do so, though it would be to the interest of the priests if a greater number of their people could be induced to place themselves under the Mormon altar and outside the pale of the revised statutes. The only danger now lies in the American tendency to tire of any subject whatever after it has occupled public attention for a year. The friends of law and order should remem-News correspondents of THE GAZETTE ber that all the Mormons ask is to be let ter. THE GAZETTE wants political news, Gov. Murray, Judge Zane, Senator Edmunds, the Salt Lake Tribune, and all the other powerful champions of the right who are fighting the present battle, the GAZETTE: Having read several articles in ing a wild horse this evening was thrown people should long remain grateful. The United States will never be a nation until the Utah disgrece shall have been wiped out and every convicted bigamist punished like any other felon.

## A LEADER OF THE PEOPLE.

People now attribute to President Cleveland stronger qualities of leadership than were ever suspected of him. It is beginning to force itself on the public mind that the Democratic party has ac-In the Ohio legis'sture can be induced copted his guidance on every large quespolicy was not at first popular within the party. This is taken as an evidence that have theirs. And as to all of the outside Mr. Cleveland is a far abler man than he talk that the board published as to what is credited with being.

We do not think it is so much ability cation without Mr. Collier's knowledge as backbone that makes the president or solicitation, and desire to say that We do not think it is so much ability what he is. There are abler men than he in the party, if we consider statesmanin the party, if we consider statesmanship; but there is not one so fearless. And again, it has been a common talk
in asserting himself or so indifferent to
unpopularity. Most of the political leadunpopularity. Most of the political leaders ask, when considering a new propo-Dons the Unicago board of trade deal sition, is it a good thing to strengthen us? road, and that they believed another road

Every Democrat in congress knew that hour we neither have the the private pension bills were contrivances to defraud the government, but none of them had the courage to say so, and few were bold enough to vote against those frequent swindles. They were passed almost without opposition, and generally as a matter of course. But when these bills reached the president his quick eye detected the frauds and ticle of agreement made and entered into they were returned to congress disapproved. He was not afraid of the uproar of the frustrated impart, witnesseth: That for the consideration for the second the part, witnesseth: That for the consideration for the second the party in congress imparts and some confidence of the second the party in congress imparts and some confidence of the second that the party in congress imparts and some confidence of the second that the party in congress imparts and some confidence of the second that the party in congress imparts and some confidence of the second that the party in congress imparts and some confidence of the second that the party is the second that the second that the party is the

THE STATE PLATFORM OUT. LINED.

THE GAZETTE is not gifted with secondsight, and does not profess to be able to

ment, and, if they are snarp, will not lose time in making known their sym-Max MULLER has calculated that, at pathy with the general feeling. They will the close of the next two centuries there appear to lead, when they do but ascerwill be in the world 53,870,000 people jain and follow the masses. Now there speaking the Italian language; 72,571,- are signs so plain upon the political sky 000 the French; 157,480,000 the German; that the dullest cannot be mistaken in 505,286,000 the Spanish, and 1,837,286, Interpreting them, and when the state 153 the English. Mr. Gladstone has convention of the Democratic party meets accepted these figures as correct. These at Galveston next week, the platform facts of the future lead Prof. T. W. there constructed will proclaim, in ad-

Federal taxation should be for revenue only, and not for protection.

Silver should be put on a level with

while visiting the country, that public at the highest standard, but not by fed-

The rights of American citizens should month in the primary grades, and in- power. The federal authorities will be month in the primary grades, and increasing as the grades rise, to diffeen called upon to see that justice is done hundred or two thousand dollars a year, to American citizens detained in Max-Though the schools are usually kept in |ico, and that their sufferings shall have

The lease law is not to the welfare of the schools the students are permitted to the state, and should be abolished. In personal is themselves will please inclose atmap for the senous the students are personal to the second students are personal to the second students are personal to the stead shall be substituted a law that study their lessons in the open air, only its stead shall be substituted a law that be substituted to The Garage Ten Borth, Ter. going within doors during the recitation will give actual settlers the preference on the public school lands of the state, and prohibit the fencing or monopolizing of any lands not owned or controlled by the person inclosing.

Convicts shall be confined inside of the maintained there.

Corporations must respect the laws, and are to be held to a strict observance Pense River Higher Than Ever Before of their contracts; but they are entitled to the protection of the law against all aggressors.

The boycott is a contrivance of cowards, and its authors shall be punished as conspirators.

the opposition will have a strong club put in their hands. But as long as that assembly is so thoroughly representative of the populace, it will not be so derelict in duty as to remain silent on a single point where a declaration of principle is asked. The party leaders must pledge the party to the accomplishment of all needed reforms, and most of them are included in the suggestions here.

The Contract. DECATUR TEX., July 31, 1886 - Editor different newspapers concerning John and badly injured. Collier and the rise and fall of the Northwest university at Decator, we, the undersigned citizens of Decatur, believe it to be our duty to give the public tae contract that Mr Collier made with the board of directors at Decatur, and let the people judge for themselves as to who has done wright or wrong. Just what some of us tried to have the board publish at first, but some cause better known to the board it has never been published. Again, we do not believe that Mr. Collier came to Decatur for the purpose or with any intention to defraud this people out of anything. But that he has come just as near filling his part of the contract as the board of directors Mr. Collier should have said, we know nothing of it. And we make this publisome of us have known him eighteen or twenty years and have always known was not able to carry out her contract with Collier, and procure another railto the enterprise, and up to this university the rallroad. W. BLEWETT,

R. JONES. J. KENNEY. R. H. BRALL, S W. TILGHMAN,

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W. R. PICKERLL, J. A. EMBRY. State of Texas, County of Wise: This arthe Northwestern university of the first part, and John Collier of the second

If the more eminent novelists of the country, who are now publishing three or four large works a year, not to speak of ocand the lighter consideration that the said party of the second part has located the Northwestern university at Decatur, the party of the first part agree to pay the sum of \$5000 out of the subscription to the fund raised or to be raised for said university, as fast as the same can be col-lected, either by the board of directors or nished for the purpose, the said Collier to select, subject to the approval of the board of directors, his own assistants and to pay them himself.

Witness our hand, this 21st day of May, A. SHORMARER, President, H. D. DONALD, Secretary Board of Directors.

JOHN COLLIER, Chancellor Northwestern University.

#### DENISON.

Returned from the Territory-Wanted in Gainswille-Getting Botter. special to the Gazette.

Danison, Tex., Aug. 2 -City Attorney D. O. Hause, Dr. Fisher and party re The party of this state has unbounded turned yesterday from Mule creek, in the is remembered that the English na- confidence in the integrity and wis- B. I. T., where they have been on a hunttions are, as yet, the historic exponents dom of the president, and approves ing and fishing expedition. They report

W. L. Williams, lawyer, and J. L. Williams, drugglst, both of Dallas, were sammoned to the bedside of their brother, Dr. Williams of this city, also Miss Famile Lower of Dallas. We are very glad to say that the doctor's symptoms changed during the night and there is hone that he will satirally recovery Our public schools shall be maintained is hope that he will entirely recover. Marsnal Cutler to-day arrested one J.

Wilson, said to be wanted in Gaines-

Mrs. W. B. Munson and family, Mrs in the City of Maxico. Fair salaries are be jealously asserted and maintained R. Guiteau, Mrs. Judge Nevins and Miss lakes and watering places to spend the

return until fall. J. H. Garnett, wife and family of Gaines-

ville passed through to-day, on their way G. W. Bryson of Galnesville is in the

Mr. L. C. Kone leaves to-day for the northwest in the interest of his house, Watermann, Starr & Co.

Mrs. J. L. A. Thomas, nee Miss Sallie Matthews, of Denison, passed through here to-day on her way to Kansas City. Mr. Markle, who has been vi-iting Den-Convicts shall be confined inside of the lson leaves to-day for nome, feeling much better for his visit.

#### VERNON.

Known-An Unknown Man Drowned.

The party leaders must piedge the party to the accomplishment of all needed reforms, and most of them are included in the suggestions herein made.

THE PEOPLE'S FORUM.

On the same day. The wagon was heavily loaded with goods.

A gentleman from Greer county reports were heavy rains there during the past week, and to-day there are apparently heavy rains west and north of here in the Panhandle. Pease river was higher Sunday than was ever known before. It has been dry nearly all summer and was dry on the morning of the day it reached its highest point.

## PILOT POINT.

An Augry Cow Attacks a Little Girl-The First Two Bales Special to the Gazette.

ing. The animal threw her to the ground but the timely arrival of Mrs. Johnson, who seized a club and drove the cow from the furious attack, saved the child's life.

About I o'clock to day two new bales of cotton, first of the season, came upon the square nearly at the same time. Mr. J. A. Mahorn, living near Au rey, came in on the north-bound freight and was the first on the square. Mr C. C. Billingsley, who also lives near Aubrey, came in this morning and had his ginned here at Cooper, Selz & Co.'s gin, and was on the square with his bale three minutes later.

# Advice to Mothers.

Mrs. Winslow's Scothing Sycup should always be used for children in thing. It soothes the child, softens to gums, allays all pain, cures wind color and is the best remedy for diarrhea, 25 cents a

## RED RIVER ON A LOOM.

The Stream Rising at the l ate of Twelve Inches Por Hour. Special to the Gazette.

GAINESVILLE, TEX., Aug. 2 -Red river is on a terrific boom. News just re-ceived, states that the river had risen eight feet this afternoon and is now rising at the rate of twelve inches per hour. The Gulf, Colurado & Santa Fe railway bridge Galf, Colorado & Santa Fe rallway bridge has been damaged some by the washing away of some of the tempora y work. Engineer Leach received word from Bur-lington of the coming rise and had the work protected by huge rocks. Though every precaution has been taken, further damage is feared to night which will greatly hinder the work. There have been no rains in this section but they were very

heavy above here. To City Subscribers.

all, they now came bravely forward and subscriptions of either money or sustained the president.

The fact is that they only wanted a leader of the right kind, and they have found him. Andrew Jackson directed State of Texas, under the direction of the

#### ANOTHER OUTRAGE.

Respectable German Weman is Assaulted, Ontraged and Robbed By a Negro.

He Enters the Room Perfectly Nude and by Dint of Force Accomplishes His Fiendish Purpose.

ecial to the Gazette. WACO, TEX., Aug. 2 .- Th: rape flend seems to be abroad in this part of the state, and notwiths tanding the swift and terrible vengeance which has lately been wreaked upon two rapists, we are called upon to chronicle another horrible outrage. Mrs. Heltmiller, a respectable German woman living on Mr. M. H. Standifer's place, on the McGregor road, some seven miles from the city, was assaulted, outraged and robbed by a negro flend between 8 and 9 o'clock last night. From Mr. Standifer, who came in from the place this morning, a GAZETTE re-porter gleaned the following details of the outrage. Mr. Heitmilier, the husband of the lady assaulted, is employed as a section hand on the Central road, working on the second section below the city, and had not been home for some ten days. Mrs. Heitmiller, with her two young children, had retired last night, leaving a lamp burning but turned down low, and leaving the doors and windows of the house open. Between s and p o'clock, Mrs. Heismiller thinks it was, she was aroused by the entrance of the negro who selzed the lamp and blew it out as she rose to make an outer. The out as she rose to make an outcry. The negro was perfectly nude and upon ex-tinguishing the lamp, turned upon the lady, setzing her by the throat and chok-ing her so that an outcry was impossible. He forced her back upon the bed and despite her frantic struggles accomplished his fiendish purpose. Then he demanded her money. She replied that she had her money. She replied that she had none. He then choked her again until, when released, she directed him where he could find \$1.30, all the money there was about the house. The flend incarnate then released her, and striking a match, proceeded to hunt for the money, which he found and appro-priated. Turning to Mrs. Heltmiller he threatened her with death should make an outcry, then passing through the open door, he picked up his ciothes, which he had left outside, and made for the brush. Mrs. Heltmiller at once got up and dragged herself to the door, and by her screams aroused Messrs. Jim Blystone and Tom Chapman, who were sleeping in the neighboring house, which was some distance off. These gentlemen hastened to her aid, and found her nearly exhausted and her throat bruised and swollen from the effects of the villain's choking. To them she told her tale of horror, and they started at once in pursuit of the negro, arousing the neighborhood as they went. She described the negro as an athletic man of yellow color with short chin beard and protruding front teeth. She thought it was a negro, Davis, who lived upon the adjoining place, but when he was produced before her found that he was not the party, and be sides Davis successfully proved an alibi, having been in Waco until 11 o'clock last night. A number of negroes were taken Special to the Gazette.

Vernon, Tex., Aug. 2 — It is reliably reported and generally believed that a man was drowned here in an attempt to cross Pease river during the late rise. Who the man was is not known. He was seen from a distance to enter the river eith a team and wagon at the crossing insports.

A number of negroes were taken in charge and carried before her, but none of them answered the description. The volume of them and v

> scoundrel will doubtless be spared the tedlum and delay of formal trial. LATER. - Telegrams just received from McGregor appounces the arrest of the negro supposed to be the rapist. Officers are now en route for this city with the

their women are assailed,

prisoner.
Officers Jenkins and Ford arrived at 8 o'clock with the negro. He gives his name as Alex Greggs. He claims to have Prior Point, Tax., Aug 2.—The little been raised in Johnson county, and has four-year-old daughter, Mary, of Mr. and lived in McGregor six weeks. He Mrs. T. S. Johnson, came near being was not there Saturday or Sunday, but he denies having been but he denies having been near Heitmiller's. He is twenty-vine years old, and answers Mrs. Heitmiller's description of her assailant in most respects. She will be here in the morning the furious attack, saved the child's life to identify him. The officers are confident She sustained several bruises, but not he is the rapist, and there is considerable excitement, but no fears of lynching.

#### SHERMAN. After a Robber-The Rilles Want to Win a

Prize. Special to the Gazette.

SHERMAN, TEX., Aug 2 -Sheriff Doug-lass left this morning for Bonham to get one Bud Jordon, a white man, wanted for burglarizing Joe Medow's store at Preston Bend in 1888. The Grayson Rifles are making active

preparations in the way of packing up their accourrements for the Galveston dril. The boys have got their hearts set on whening a prize and are tolerably sanquine of success. They go to Galveston to-morrow evening via the Houston & Texas Central.

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## PLANO.

Martin Johnson is Found Dead Near Muddy Creek-Protracted Meeting. cial to the Gazette.

PLANO, TEX., Aug. 2.- News reached here to-day that a man whose name proved to be Martin Johnson was found dead, lying in a skirt of timber near Muddead, lying in a skirt of timber near Muddy creek, about seven miles southwest of Piano. A check in his favor for \$50, for work done on the extension of the Santa Fe rallway, was found in his pocket. No marks of violence were discovered on his body. The cause of his death is unknown.

The Baptists are holding a protracted is hereby reserved meeting here.

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